

PREPARE FOR FORMAL DEDICATION OF SCHOOL

Flag Presentation to Feature Occasion at North Charleroi

WILL ERECT NEW POLE

Citizens to Meet for Purpose—Six Rooms of New Building Now Being Used

A flag will be presented to the North Charleroi school district by the Charleroi Junior Order of American Mechanics and a formal dedication of the new school building at North Charleroi will take place a few weeks hence.

Tomorrow the citizens of North Charleroi will erect a flag pole 60 feet high. This pole will be of pine having been secured from a northern woods through the instrumentality of government men at North Charleroi.

The new school building is proving immensely satisfactory. Six rooms are being used at the present time for school purposes. The other two will be put into use as required. North Charleroi is having a rapid growth and the school population is increasing similarly. In addition to the eight rooms in the new building, there is a principal's room and two playrooms, the latter being in the basement. One is for the boys and the other is for the girls. As yet no special equipment has been purchased for these playrooms.

The new North Charleroi School building was erected at a cost of approximately \$25,000. A Fayette City firm constructed the building. A Duquesne man was the architect. In excavating for the edifice, some trouble was encountered through having to drill through a heavy bed of rocks. This added to the cost and delayed the completion of the building. It was over a year from the time work was started until the building was finished ready for use.

Prof Leslie Hornbake is the principal at North Charleroi and teaches one of the rooms. The other teachers are Misses Josephine Metzger, Alice Latta, Nell C. Ryland, Mamie Rockwell and Ruth Rice.

CHARLEROI BRIGADE GUESTS AT COYLE

Manager R. S. Coyle of the Coyle Theatre entertained the Charleroi Brigade at his theatre last evening. The brigade was out in uniform under command of First Lieutenant Christy Roberts, and they marched into the Coyle Theatre and took the seats reserved for them in an orderly manner that showed the thoroughness of their drilling. After the performance Lieutenant Roberts, in behalf of the brigade, extended thanks to Mr. Coyle for the treat he had given the members.

Rummage Sale.

A rummage sale will be held by the Ladies of the Lutheran church on Saturday, September 28 from 2 to 10 p. m. and on Monday, September 30 from 7 to 10 p. m. in the store room of H. Lowstutter, Fallowfield avenue.

Blue Laws For Monon

Campaign to be Made in "Wicked" Town Down River

Monongahela will take another whack at the Blue Law enforcement on Sunday, when it will and Ordinance Officer Meredith will begin a campaign for the closing of the stores. The arrangement will be to have the drug stores open a short time each Sunday to take care of the prescription business. No ice cream or confectionary stores are to be permitted to remain open or to dispose of their wares. The Blue Law movement has become almost as regular a visitor to Monongahela valley towns as the "woman in black," and the "crazy man" in the rural sections.

CHILDREN SUFFERERS

Seventy-Five Per Cent of School Children Have Bad Health

MANY HAVE BAD EYES

Years ago when children were compelled to trudge a mile or two to a little old barn of a school house four five or six months out of the year, learning how to add, subtract, multiply and divide, to read an dwrite and to talk halfway correct germs weren't as familiar creatures as they are today and children had to be unable to walk before they were even sick. Today, there is scarcely a child in the 20,000,000 that attend school in the United States that would pass the kind of physical examination required in most of the schools. A bulletin issued by the United States bureau of education asserts that "not less than 75 per cent need attention for physical defects which are prejudicial to health," and gives the following statistics:

"From 1 1-2 to 2 per cent or 400,000 of these have organic heart disease.

"Probably 5 per cent, 1,000,000 at least have now or have had some tuberculosis disease of the lungs.

"About 5 per cent or 1,000,000 have spinal curvature, flat foot or some other modern deformity.

"Over 5 per cent or 1,000,000 have defective hearing.

"About 25 per cent or 5,000,000 are suffering from malnutrition in many cases due in part at least to one or more of the other defects enumerated.

"Over 30 per cent or 6,000,000 have enlarged tonsils, adenoids or enlarged cervical glands which needed attention.

"Over 50 per cent or 10,000,000 (in some schools as high as 98 per cent) have defective teeth which are interfering with health."

CHURCH FEDERATION STILL OF THE FUTURE

Delegates to County Meeting Fail to Effect Permanent Organization—Rev. Hugh B. McCauley Defines Idea

Delegates to a county church Federation meeting Thursday in Washington failed to get around to the election of officers and to the work of forming a permanent organization. On these two matters the only thing that was done was to appoint a committee consisting of Rev. C. L. McKee, H. L. Wood, W. H. H. Butler, and H. J. Hooe, all of Washington to recommend officers for a permanent organization. There were but 35 United Brethren, Baptist, Methodist Episcopal and Methodist Protestant denominations in the county.

Rev. Dr. G. C. Sheppard of Washington presided. The morning devotional meeting was led by Rev. N. N. Cameron, D. D. of Washington. The enrollment followed and an address was made by Rev. Hugh B. McCauley of Trenton, N. J., the father of the church federation idea in this county.

JACK FROST MISSES TRAIN

Cold Wave Here But Anticipated White Fails to Arrive as Per Schedule

Apparently Jack Frost missed his train connections for this and other points east, and themuchtalked about and feared trouble that was to arise from his visitation was on the waiting list this morning. One ruralite reported that he had seen Frost, but others from the same neighborhood reported there was no frost. Last August there was a frost. That was the first summer frost. Now the people are waiting the arrival of the first fall frost. In spite of the fact that Jack Frost didn't get here with all his apparatus it was cold Thursday night and it was cold this morning. The mercury hovered down around 56 degrees, which for this time of the year is cold.

RECEIVES NOTICE OF STATE MEETING

G. H. Thomas, editor of the Monessen News, who was elected a Presidential elector-at-large on the Republican ticket at the State convention last June, has received a telegram asking him to come to Harrisburg next Monday at the reconvening of the State convention for the purpose of readjusting the electors, many of whom are for Roosevelt. Mr. Thomas, who was elected a delegate at the spring primaries for Westmoreland county, has cast his lot with the Bull Moose party, and expects to resign as an elector-at-large on the Republican ticket.

SCOFIELD BIBLE INSTITUTE WILL CLOSE TONIGHT

This evening closes the Schofield Bible Institute that has been in progress during the week at Belle Vernon under direction of Rev. E. D. Bevier of Fayette City. The instruction department which is under direction of Dr. Sperry Chafer, has attracted wide attention, and has been attended by large congregations. The topic of tonight's services will be: "Deliverance from the presence of sin, or the believer's coming glory, the future tense of salvation." The service tonight will begin at 7 o'clock instead of 7:30.

Star Theatre Tomorrow.

"The Reckoning," a 101 Bison, a thrilling tale of the Civil War, and "North of 53," a stirring northern drama.

Next Tuesday—"Lucille," 3-reels, dramatized from Owen Meredith's famous poem

At the afternoon meeting devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. J. C. Hamilton. Rev. Hugh B. McCauley spoke on the Church Federation movement and "What Washington County May Hope for From Federation" was the subject of the Rev. C. L. McKee.

At the evening services devotional services were conducted by Rev. Walter Mansell. The address of the evening was given by Rev. H. L. Bowley, secretary of the Inter-Church Federation of Altoona. His subject was "What the Federation Has Done For Us."

ENTERTAINMENT DATES ANNOUNCED

First of Charleroi Course Attractions to be Given on November 5.

The first entertainment of the Charleroi Citizens Entertainment course, which will be given at the Methodist Episcopal church has been dated for Tuesday, November 5. At this time Francis Lee Lybarger, a lecturer of more than usual ability will appear. Dates have been supplied for all the entertainments by the Redpath-Brockway Bureau, which furnishes the attractions. Following is the entire list.

Tuesday, November 5—Francis Lee Lybarger, lecturer.

Tuesday, December 3—The Dixie Chorus, colored glee club.

Friday, December 20—Opie Reed, lecturer and humorist.

Wednesday, February 5—The Dumbbells, male quartet and bell ringers.

Tuesday, March 18—The Aida Quartet of Ladies and C. Pol Planchon, soloist.

Friday, April 11—Hon. George D. Alden, lecturer.

HARD SCHEDULE FOR HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

A list of games has been booked for the Charleroi High School football team, the opening struggle to be at home tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with the Washington High School team. Following is the schedule arranged:

September 28—Washington High School at Charleroi.

October 4—Monongahela H. S. at Monongahela.

October 9—Duquesne University Freshmen at Duquesne.

October 18—Allegheny Prep at Exposition Park.

October 26—Waynesburg H. S. at Charleroi.

November 1—Monessen H. S. at Charleroi.

November 8—Ben Avon Prep at Ben Avon.

November 15—Monessen H. S. at Monessen.

November 28—Waynesburg H. S. at Waynesburg.

Prof. Knotts Returns.

Prof. Richard Knotts of Pittsburgh who is well known up the Monongahela valley has returned from a trip to Europe, where he spent some time studying under various European vocal instructors. He took special courses in voice work and vocal hygiene. He sang often in many of the larger cities and before returning home was made a flattering offer by one of the large Grand Opera companies.

CHILDREN'S DANCING CLASS

Prof. Oatman will open a dancing class for children on Saturday afternoon, September 28 at 2:30 o'clock in famous poem

PLAN NEW SHIPPING ROUTE TO THE SOUTH

Bus Driver Still on Go

Trias Elizabeth, Finds it Bum Town, and Moves on to Another Neighborhood

On last Thursday morning a man appeared in town with an auto-bus which had been running between Charleroi and Ellsworth and said he was going to put it in service between Elizabeth and Glassport, says the Elizabeth Herald. One round trip was made and he then kept the vehicle standing on the street there, saying he was not ready to start, but would do so on the following Sunday morning. He left soon after Sunday morning came but no auto-bus and up to this writing it has not appeared on the scene. Just what the intentions of the individual are do not appear.

BIG CROPS REPORTED

Department of Agriculture Issues Statement Showing Results

ROADS BAD FEATURE

The figures that have been issued at Washington during the past week by officials of the Department of Agriculture to show the enormous size of the crops that the country has just harvested are very impressive certainly. On these bumper crops depend to a large extent the country's prosperity. But the crops would be much more effective in promoting the common welfare, and the national prosperity would be much greater if there were not so much expense in getting the products of the farms to market. Good roads throughout the country would be one of the finest investments the American people could make. It is to be regretted that the government does not spend on road construction one-third of the \$300,000,000 it spends every year on its military and naval establishment. J. E. Penypacker, executive secretary of the American Road Congress estimates that if 20 per cent of the public highways of the country were improved not less than \$250,000,000 would be saved in the cost of hauling the crops of 1912. Mr. Penypacker says:

"The government's prediction that the crop now being harvested will exceed any previous year's yield should serve to call attention to the great losses that are being sustained by farmers and consumers in the hauling of crops. It is estimated that the improvements of the main roads, 7:20, Charleroi 8:00, Belle Vernon 8:15, Fayette City 8:30. 56-12

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Pittsburg Capitalists to Build and Operate River Line

INTEREST ALONG MONON

This Valley to Profit—Boats to be Constructed of Steel—Daily Traffic Planned

One of the largest enterprises that has been projected in Pittsburg for years was the formation yesterday of a steamboat line to the South. A group of men representing large capital met in the office of Hubbard & Co., German National Bank Building, and effected an organization which is destined to solve the city's transportation problems. The effecting of the organization was the culmination of a year's earnest thought on the part of the projectors. It will represent an expenditure of over \$2,000,000.

The new company has taken over the Pittsburg and Cincinnati Packet Company's fleet. Three boats will be built at once and others will be added. Something besides caution will prompt the gradual growth of the fleet. There never has been any doubt in the minds of the projectors about there being traffic enough to keep the vessels busy. What they are considering is the fact that the character of water craft is likely to change as improvements are made in the waterways. The first boats to be built will be of steel, of light draught, with stern wheel. Very large sidewheel boats will be provided as soon as the locks and dams are completed.

The projectors are satisfied that they will not lack for trade, for the reason that the railroads cannot handle all the business. There is no doubt that there will be a large shortage of cars for several years to come.

While the new proposed organization does not yet include a packet line up the Monongahela river, in all probability this will come very soon after the organization of the Ohio and Mississippi line. The Monongahela river with 131 miles of slack-watered navigation affords a virgin field for river traffic, both of a local nature and for distant points down the other rivers. At the present time only the big corporations are realizing benefits from the costly and expensive improvements, and the local shippers have never yet taken advantage of the opportunities that await them in the way of reducing their cost of transportation. The possibilities suggested for the Monongahela valley by the new concern are limitless.

Two Grand Sunday Excursions.

This Sunday, September 29, Stemor Morning Star. Young's Band. Gents 50 cents, ladies 25 cents. Children free. Boat leaves Brownsville at 2 p. m., Coal Centre 2:45, Roscoe 3:15, Fayette City 3:45, Belle Vernon 4:15, Charleroi 4:30, Monessen 5:15, Webster 5:30. Evening trip boat leaves Webster 7 p. m., Monessen 7:20, Charleroi 8:00, Belle Vernon 8:15, Fayette City 8:30. 56-12

The Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church announce a Bazaar to be given on Wednesday and Thursday, December 11 and 12.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres R. H. Rush, Cashier.

No Time Like The Present

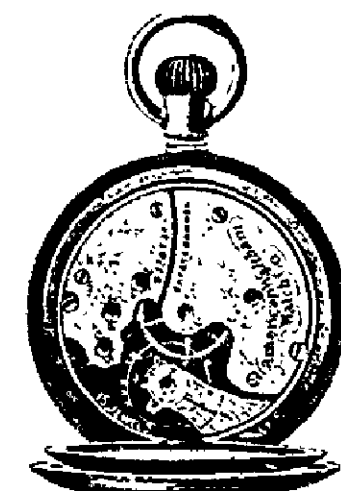
Some people put off saving until well advanced in years. This is not wise, for one does not know how soon the demand for ready cash will come. Now is the time to start an account with us.



Open Saturday Evenings from 8.00 to 9 o'clock

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dence of good faith and not neces-
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live stock estray notices, notices to
teachers, 10 cents per line, first inser-
tion, 5 cents a line each additional in-
sertion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

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AN IMPORTANT MOVE.

The intelligence that a syndicate
of Pittsburgh capitalists has organ-
ized a new packet line to promote
trade down the Ohio and Mississippi
river is important to the Pittsburgh
district. It indicates that a new im-
petus will be given to river traffic,
and that the manufacturers of the
Pittsburgh district are beginning to
realize the enormous advantage to be
derived by river transportation. The
move also shows that some of the
progressive business people of the
district are alive to the situation.
This can be made one of the most
profitable transportation lines in the
whole country.

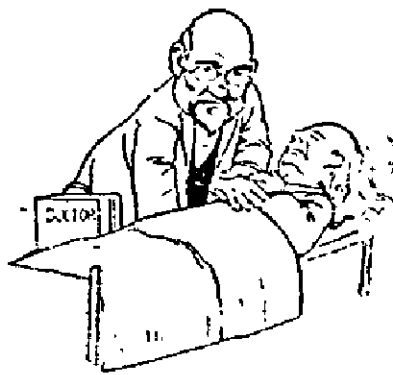
With the organization of the lower
river service will follow as a matter
of course a reorganization of the
Monongahela service. At the present
time local traffic is nil, when it might
be highly organized and productive.
This is due largely to the towns and
the business people along the river.
Scarcely a town affords a decent land-
ing place for boats, and some of them
even have no streets at all leading to
the river. The merchants have pre-
ferred the more expensive railroad
transportation because it was more
convenient for the time being and
have never demanded adequate land-
ings in the various towns. For this
reason the big trusts get the only ad-
vantage of the enormous government
expenditures in maintaining a free
river service.

RESULTS COUNT.

After all is said and done regard-
ing education and the various kind
of training along the line of efficiency
the man who can produce results is
the one who is in most demand. The
boss, the superintendent, the director
or the general manager holds his po-
sition by this ability to produce, and
the really efficient productive man-
agers are as scarce as great poets, ar-
tists, sculptors and soldiers. Pro-
ductive engineering affords great op-
portunities for the future.

Some of the most efficient man-
agers of big industries and railroad
lines are men who have come up
from the ranks with so educational
training except that obtained in the
school of hard knocks. Many peo-
ple marvel how so slenderly an edu-
cated person can attain the heights
of efficiency, but in all probability
the person in question began from the
very start to study means to do what
he had in hand in the shortest pos-
sible time and with the least effort.

Our Moving Picture Show



The tale of the fool and his prayer,
Is told again everywhere:
He gave up the ghost,
Joined the angelic host,
For rag, bone and a hank of hair.

Watch this space tomorrow
Two Reels

This naturally advanced him, and
then when he was in authority he in-
stinctively picked men who would do
the same and in that manner became
able to turn out a production quicker
and cheaper than the ordinary run
of men.

This is a quality that any workman
can study and cultivate, no matter
how humble or how handicapped in
the way of lack of education or
training. The foreman or superin-
tendent who can get the production
can get the high salary position,
and he is constantly on the lookout
for efficient men below him. This is
why the world is rich in opportunity
at this particular time.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The man who can still show arms
and faces peeling with sunburn is
the hero of the hour.

A quick typewriter operator is one
who is engaged to her boss two weeks
after she has started to work.

Re-Published By Request

There was a maiden called Stella
Who loved a bow-legged fellow.
But the silly young yep
Tried to sit on his lap
And fell cleah thro to the cellah.

The man who neglects to state that
he is the one for the masses is a bum
politician.

Genius is the woman who is able
to get a house practically built by
engaging herself to the carpenter
and then breaking off to get married
to the plumber.

Some fellows have such a lack of
common sense that they wouldn't
make good as inmates of insane asy-
lums.

Things to Answer.

What is the latest style in finger-
nails?

Who is the guy that invented the
shaveless hat?

Who is not a Progressive candidate
for President?

Why is it a rich youth is always
gilded?

When is the "woman moved" done?

Any body that has won a Carnegie
Medal should be prevented by law from
being made heir to a fortune by the
death of any relative as close as an
uncle.

Bank check forgers have plenty
of reason for working their game
warily, considering that William
Butts is on their trail.

It must be very disappointing to
the Chinese to find they can't attain
perfection in the conduct of a repub-
lic in a day.

Is it possible that people are be-
coming civilized? There was no such
the 15th of this month about any-
body's straw hat being crushed.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"That the unalterable law of the
universe is change, was never more
evidenced than in this Presidential
campaign," remarked an old timer a
day or two ago. "It really makes me
melancholy to note how indifferent
the people seem to feel in this mat-
ter, and to realize how lightly they
regard party affiliations. While I
have been a Republican from the
very start, casting my first ballot
for John C. Fremont, I feel almost as
keenly the defections from the Dem-

ocratic party as those of my own
party. The manner in which your
people regard the old time traditions
seems to me almost sacrilegious.

"And yet one can't say the people
are not interested, because they are,
but the most aggravating thing about
this campaign is that no one wants
to talk about it. For the life of me
I can't get up an argument. I'm
loaded for bear on the Civil War,
protection and Republican policies
generally, but nobody seems to care
a rap for that. Still, from him's
thrown out here and there I can see
that every one is thinking and read-
ing on the questions of the day, and
that each one knows exactly how he
intends to vote. Of course there's a
big floating vote that can be influ-
enced, but that is a known quantity. It
is the duffer that is saying nothing that
worries me.

"Another thing I notice is that the
people have generally a profound con-
tempt for the political opinions of
newspapers. A political organ now-
adays cuts little ice and has practi-
cally no influence. It is the maga-
zines that are doing the damage.
They tell everything and expose
everything regardless of consequen-
ces, and that is having more influ-
ence now than anything else. Things
are so changed that there is no plea-
sure in the campaign."

A traveling man who comes to
Charleroi occasionally, was feeling
quite elated on his last trip over the
recent birth of twins in his family.
He said that when the glad tidings
reached him it was by wire while he
was en route for home on a sleep-
ing car between Chicago and Pittsburg.
As he had no one to jubilate with but
the porter when he received the mes-
sage, he exclaimed:

"Hello, Sam, I've some good news.
We've a birth in our family—twins."

IT IS SAID that
charity begins at
home. So it does,
and so does every-
thing else. The
whole eternal plan
of political, domes-
tic and social econ-
omy begins right in
the household or bus-
iness mart of each
and every individual.
The man who wants
to boom his com-
munity can start in
at any time by boom-
ing his own trade.
If he doesn't do this
he's a failure even
as a unit in the boom-
ing process. It has
been found that a
town where every
man in trade is giv-
ing his business wide
publicity and work-
ing hard to extend
it no extra booming
is necessary. When
a man gives his own
business publicity,
he is doing some-
thing for his town.
When he remains sil-
ent, he isn't doing a
thing for his com-
munity.

Advertising draws people.
And people who come to a store
have to first come to town. In
town they're apt to look around
some. The merchant who doesn't
advertise is doing absolutely nothing
for his town.

To the Man Who is Ready
to Buy Fall Clothing:--

There is only one way to
be sure of getting the
most value for your
money---and that is to
make comparisons; and
if you *will* make com-
parisons you *will* be sure
to buy at

GREENBERGS'

Fifth and McKean Avenue

The largest collection of fall Suits
we ever had to show is now ready
for your inspection.
Prices range from \$10.00 to \$25.00



"Well, sah," said the porter with
a grin. "I would call dat no birth,
sah, dat am a section."

BIG CROPS REPORTED

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would be sufficient to improve 50,
000 miles of road at a further cost
of \$5,000 per mile. In five years this
would improve 250,000 miles, which
would be sufficient to bring the total
mileage of improved roads up to 20
per cent."

At present it is estimated that only
a little more than 8 per cent of the
public highways have been improved.
The good roads movement is gaining
ground rapidly, but it will be a num-
ber of years before as much as 20
per cent of the highways shall have
been improved. The citizens of Penn-
sylvania are to be congratulated that
as a result of present legislation
there is a promise that \$50,000,000 se-
cured by bond issues authorized by
constitutional amendment, will be
available for good roads construction
from which the returns will be four
fold, not only greatly increasing the
comfort and convenience of farm life
but cheapening materially the cost
of farm produce to the teeming pop-
ulations of the cities.

NEW MISSIONARY SOCIETY FORMED BY CHURCH WOMEN

An organization of a Home and
Foreign missionary society of women
of the First Baptist church was ef-
fected at a meeting which was held
at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. G.
Stanley on Fallowfield avenue Thurs-
day afternoon. The women's organi-
zation of the Pittsburgh Baptist As-
sociation was represented by Mrs.
Howard Thum, corresponding secre-
tary; Mrs. Julia A. Coffin, foreign
secretary and Mrs. D. C. Williams,
home secretary. Explanations of the
work were given by these women. Of-
ficers of the new society were elect-
ed as follows: President, Mrs. E. G.
Stanley; vice president, Mrs. C. O.
Frye; secretary, Mrs. Blanche Jacob;
treasurer, Mrs. S. R. Corbett. After
the work of the afternoon was con-
cluded a tasty lunch was served and
a pleasant social time was enjoyed.

When Wilson Will Get Worse Left.

Woodrow Wilson complained that
his private car was left several hours
behind by the Chesapeake express. That's
nothing to the way he and his free
trade crew will be left behind by the
Holyoke.

THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE

"CO-OPERATION supplements political economy by organizing the
distribution of wealth. It touches no man's fortune; it seeks no plunder;
it causes no disturbance in society; it gives no trouble to state-men; it
enters into no secret associations; it contemplates no violence; it sub-
verts no order; it envies no dignity; it asks no favors; it keeps no terms
with the idle and it will break no faith with the industrious; it means
self-help, self-dependence, and such shares of the common competence as
labor can earn or thought can win, and this it intends to have."—G. J.
Holyoke.

Best granulated sugar,
full 25-lb. sack..... \$1.35

Co-Operators' Best Flour
Full 49lb sack..... \$1.35

Produce and Fruits

Finest Potatoes, pk25c
Pickling onions, 1-4 pk25c
Jersey Sweet Potatoes, pk35c
Quince, pk15c
Eating pears, 1-4 pk15c
Fancy Baldwin apples, pk30c
Russet apples, pk30c
Extra large celery, each5 to 7c
New beets, pk25c
New Carrots, pk25c
Fancy large lemons, doz35c
California plums, 7c doz, 4 doz25c
Cluster grapes, lb10c
Spanish onions, 4 lb25c
Cranberries, quart13c
Yellow onions, pk30c
California Cantaloupe, 2 for25c
Hubbard Squash, lb3c
Red cabbage, lb4c
White Solid Cabbage, lb3c
Medium Size oranges, 3 doz for25c

Fruit Jars

Mason fruit jars, qts., dozen50c
Mason fruit jars, pints, dozen45c
10c heavy jar gums, 2 dozen15c
Porcelain lined jar lids, dozen15c
Jelly glasses, doz20c
Fruit cans, per doz.....35c

Kitchen Specials

7 cakes silver gloss soap25c
5c box clothes pins, 4 for15c
10c roll toilet paper, 4 for15c
5c box bag blue, 3 for10c
Sticky fly paper, 3 double sheets15c
Poison fly paper, 5c envelopes, 2
for5c
11 cakes White Dove Soap25c

620 Fallowfield Avenue, - - CHARLEROI, PA.
241 Schoonmaker Avenue, - - MONESSEN, PA.

When You Go Away From Home

when you are not known,
avoid all trouble in regard to
funds by carrying

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The tariff has been revised. Within a year following passage of the Payne bill wages were increased more than \$500,000,000. Industry is operating at high pressure, general business is prosperous, and there is a scarcity of labor everywhere.

Two acts providing safety for railway employees and proper inspection of appliances have been passed.

The federal mining bureau for reducing the dangers to workmen has been established.

A children's bureau to minimize infant mortality and reduce child employment in factories has been organized.

Pensions for Union veterans of the war of the rebellion have been broadened and increased.

White slavery has been outlawed and checked.

Our trade with foreign nations has

been enormously increased, particularly in iron and steel manufactures.

Congress has made the contract between railroads and their employees more favorable to the latter.

Shippers by rail and patrons of express, telegraph and telephone companies are assured just rates by reason of additional authority conferred upon the interstate commerce commission.

The eight hour law on government work has been extended to include contract supplies.

Practice in the federal courts has been simplified in the interest of all litigants, which will relieve particularly the poor sufferer.

Postal savings banks have been established, to the great convenience of persons who formerly hoarded their surplus.

Provision has been made for the parcels post, which will begin operations Jan. 1.

These are among the achievements of three years of Taft. No other administration within the same brief limit has accomplished so many substantial benefits to the people. Why make a change, involving widespread upheaval of business, when every physical and material condition is favorable?—From Harrisburg (Pa.) Telegram.

HILLIS WRITES ON CONTRIBUTIONS TO N. Y. TIMES

The following from the New York Times of September 4, by Charles D. Hillis, National Chairman of the Republican National Committee concerning campaign contributions is most timely:

To the Editor of the New York Times

The all-important factors in a campaign contribution are the motive back of the gift and the understanding, if any on which it is accepted. I see no reason why individual contributions should be limited to \$10,000, nor any reason why the amount should not be determined by the donor.

I do not believe in a party treasurer receiving campaign funds surreptitiously—nor that he does. Nor do I believe that a candidate should attempt to hide behind the excuse that he did not know what his treasurer was doing, particularly if the candidate is an astute politician, who is deprived from public participation in the fight and in constant telephone communication with the party's headquarters. I do not believe that George W. Perkins, who contributed \$50,000 to the 1901 fund should have been permitted to exert sufficient influence at the White House to bring the Department of Justice's prosecution of the harvesters trust to a sudden standstill, or that the steel trust, having contributed heavily, should have been able to secure from the White House a promise of immunity from prosecution if it absorbed its chief competitor; nor that \$100,000 should have been accepted from the Standard Oil Company and the head of the trust left with the conviction that, had his trust contributed the additional \$150,000 asked it would have escaped prosecution during the last administration.

I have heard the excuse that the candidate did not let his right hand know what his left hand was doing but Governor Hughes had publicly exposed the \$50,000 contribution of the New York Life Insurance Company funds and Mr. Roosevelt has himself admitted that he knew of \$10,000 contributed by the steel trust and says he had Mr. Knox's assurance that if further contributions from the Standard Oil trust were rejected the steel trust would make them good, so I think I may be pardoned if I am a little skeptical regarding the "ignorance" of the other contributors, or even regarding any carelessness on the part of the beneficiary.

But when it comes to placing an arbitrary limitation on the amount which a man with proper motives may contribute to the campaign of a candidate whose success he believes essential to the welfare of the nation I can perceive no good reason therefor, and no just method of enforcement. Fortunately we now have a law which prohibits campaign contributions from corporations absolutely.

The support of The Chicago Tribune, for instance, to the candidacy of the third term candidate has been worth not ten, but hundreds of thousands of dollars. It has been going on for many months. The same is true of The New York World's support of the Democratic candidate and of the support of the other Democratic papers. Does any one imagine that George W. Perkins put his money into The Evening Mail as an investment? Or was it to acquire the support of that paper for his candidacy for President? And yet no accounting of such contributions will have to be made at Albany or at Washington. Since Dan Hanna has acquired control of The Cleveland Leader and The Cleveland News, they have been fighting the President at every issue, a valuable contribution to his opponents. But no one imagines that Mr. Hanna was actuated solely by a desire to become an editor. And yet the contribution of a service of such value goes unreported and unrecorded.

Mr. Bryan, whose services on the lecture platform command \$500 a night, will devote many nights and much oratory to Governor Wilson's campaign, far more presumably than could be purchased for \$10,000. To a less extent this is true of many men who enjoy something of a vogue on the Chautauqua circuit.

What, then, if the President's brother, Charles P. Taft, shall contribute more than \$10,000 to this campaign? Mr. Taft was almost as much responsible for the President entering politics as was Mr. Roosevelt. Certainly his motives were not less pure. Then why should he not be at liberty to contribute in accordance with his means to his brother's campaign? No one can claim that President Taft has ever been influenced improperly by any contribution to his former campaign, nor will he be by any contribution to this. Those who are supporting Mr. Taft this year especially, are doing so with the conviction that his defeat would mean disaster to the country. Who can properly or justly put a limitation on their patriotism in terms of dollars and cents?

Charles D. Hillis,
Chairman Republican National Committee, New York, Sept. 3, 1912.

LIEUT. FURLONG AN INSTRUCTOR FOR ANNAPOLIS

The following from the Boston Globe, of recent date, will be read with interest by the many friends of W. Rea Furlong, a former Resident:

"Lieut. William Rea Furlong, USN, who for the past two years has been detailed by the Navy Department as inspector-instructor to the Massachusetts Naval Militia and in command of the USS Chicago, has received orders from the department detailing him to the special engineering course for two years at the United States Naval Academy. To succeed him the department has detailed Chief Boatswain Walter J. Woodman, USN, recently in command of the Piscataway.

"Since Lieut. Furlong's connection with the Naval Militia of this city, he has achieved much for the general all-around increase in efficiency of the organization. He has introduced a scheme of instruction, which has already proved exceptionally beneficial, as has been exemplified both in seamanship and gunnery during the past two years. This has been especially noticeable the past summer during the annual practice cruise when his plan of ship's organization worked to perfection and in two days the whole organization was working as a unit.

"The departure of Lieut. Furlong is deeply regretted by every officer and man of the Naval Militia. The officers have given him a testimonial dinner and presented him with a memento of his stay with the Massachusetts command, while the men of the regular service have presented him a hand-some sword and belt.

"His selection by the Navy Department for the special course in advanced engineering is an honor for it is a much-sought berth by those officers who have a liking for engineering duty. Lieut. Furlong will spec-

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A Powerful Tonic With Lasting Results and Without Mineral Drugs!

A very remarkable nerve builder, something the world has never had before, a nerve revitalizer without narcotics, opiates, or mineral drugs!

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Wade's Golden Nervine is the name of it. It's purely vegetable, and so much greater the wonder. It is safe for everybody. It works splendidly in a few days, and you keep the improvement. The benefit is lasting. If you don't believe it, try it anyhow, you'll find it out.

If you are exhausted, nervous, don't give up, change, have lost energy and vitality, suffer from brain-fog, insomnia, nervous dyspepsia, or headaches, change your plan. Get Wade's Golden Nervine and your new plan will change you.

Wade's Golden Nervine is a powerful reconstructive tonic, yet not a sedative. Any druggist will sell you a \$1 liberal size package, or sent on receipt of price, by the Gem Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Wade's Golden Nervine is sold in Charleroi by Henning's Drug Store.

Honest Advice to Consumptives

Somewhere there exists a vast amount of skepticism as to the possibility of curing Consumption. We state none but facts, and are sincere in what we assert.

If we were afflicted with Tuberculosis, we should do precisely what we are asking you to do. We should take Eekman's Alternative promptly and faithfully. The reason we should do this, and warrant we have for asking all Consumptives to take it, is that we have the reports of many recoveries, one of which follows:

1629 Susquehanna Ave., Phila., Pa.
"Gentlemen: For two years I was afflicted with hemorrhages of the lungs, the number totaled nearly one hundred. Our family physician advised another climate, as he thought I might probably be fatal. However, I remained, and in February of 1902, I was taken with a severe attack of pneumonia. When I recovered sufficiently to walk out the house I was left with a frightful hacking cough, which no medicine I had taken could alleviate. It was at this time, March, 1902, that I learned of and started taking Eekman's Alternative. In a short time my cough was gone and I was pronounced well. Since that time I have had two slight attacks of pneumonia and I have resorted to no other medicine to effect a cure.

"I am at present in excellent health and feel that as long as I can obtain Eekman's Alternative, I have no fear of Consumption. I cannot speak too highly for the good it has done."

(Signed) HOWARD E. KLOTZ
Eekman's Alternative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system, does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for Eekman's Alternative, and write to Eekman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists.

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Will call regularly for your work. Just leave me a word, I will do the rest.

S. A. SIMONS

529 Fallowfield Avenue. Charleroi, Penna.

ialize in electricity, as he believes the Puritan Club during his stay, and this to be very important in connection with the gunnery work on ship-board, in which he is particularly interested.

"During Lieut. Furlong's stay in this city he took advantage of the many opportunities for study and took a special course at Harvard in international law, besides studying German and doing much reading of naval history from the valuable collection at the Public Library in addition to his many duties in connection with the upkeep of the Chicago and as judge advocate of the summary court-martial board at the Navy Yard.

"He joined the Wordroom Club and

by his attendance at many prominent military and naval gatherings in this city, he has made a host of friends, whose well wishes he carries away with him to his new station.

"Lieut. Furlong expects to be relieved today and start for his home in Pennsylvania, which he has not visited for some time. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Furlong and their son, William Rea, Jr. He will report at Annapolis on Sept. 30."

Women's English-Cut Topcoats

They are in swaggar three-quarter length's, and termed by the English "Topper" and "Johnnie" Coats.

They are excellent examples of tailor's skill in fashioning coats of fine fabrics, that are at once warm, but light in weight.

\$10.00 to \$28.50

The materials are double-faced, the reverse side being in plaid, checked or striped patterns, which is rolled back to form collar lapels and cuffs.

English vicennas, blanket cloths, chinchillas, tweeds and whipcords, in black, blue, different shades of gray, brown, green and other tones. Many have edges bound with braid.

The coats at \$10.00 and \$15.00 are exceptionally good values.

Joseph Horne Co., Pittsburgh

Hundreds of New

Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts, and Dresses. The finest in the land are now here at this store awaiting your inspection, and our greatest pleasure is showing them to you. DONT WAIT until you are ready to buy before you come here to see the new styles. You should see them right away. You'll find us just as glad to show them as you are to see them.

We can show you everything in Correct and Stylish Ready to Wear Apparel for women. And what is more, we can show you Styles and Values you will not see elsewhere.

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514-16 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

Berryman's Fall Opening

Millinery and Ready-to-Wear Garments

Thursday and Friday, Sept. 26 and 27

FALL MILLINERY display of distinctive styles for each member of the family—for lady, miss and child. Small Caps and Bonnets for baby too.

Now that these hats are on display, we must confess that they are much prettier than we anticipated. These imported models and the models from our own work-room should please you more than any we've ever shown.

Again we invite you to come.



Suits, Coats, Dresses

WHILE in one sense of the word this is a Millinery Opening our line of Suits, Coats and Dresses has not been neglected and are given equal prominence. You should call and see them for the authentic fall styles.

Autumn Suits come in a diversity of weaves, some featuring the smoother Serges and others the Wider Wale and rough mixed suitings. There is a suit in cloth and color to meet the requirements of every wearer. None should leave our store without first having selected a Fall Suit or Coat.

There is no house in the valley that carries such an extensive stock, or such a large range of sizes. We can fit you so come in while the sizes are unbroken. This will be our last invitation to our Fall Opening. Be sure to come.

Remember we give DOUBLE STAMPS on cash sales these two days, and that we're OPEN TONIGHT (Thursday night) and closed Friday night at 6 o'clock



Charleroi's
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Where people get most of their good things.

SOAP

The kind that takes off the dirt and leaves the skin in a healthy condition.

There is no better road to health than by the way of cleanliness.

Always Look in our window

Carroll's Drug Store

The Rexall Store

MILLINERY SHOWN AT FALL OPENING

Latest Styles in Hats and Wearing Apparel Exhibited Berryman's Store

Showing the latest in millinery for women and the newest styles in wearing apparel for both men and women together with an especially attractive line of dry goods and notions the establishment of J. W. Berryman and Son are holding their annual fall opening. Thursday was the first day of the opening. It is being concluded today. The store beautifully decorated for the occasion, was visited by hundred Thursday afternoon and evening.

As usual the millinery department attracted the greatest attention. This fall for the first time in years women are to be permitted by the dictates of dictators of fashion to choose for their headgear what looks well. One might say that anything is in style as long as it is a hat. Small hats with the peach basket effect and various trimmings or large picture hats with a wealth and profusion of dainty trimmings, or hats not so fastidiously decorated—all are in the tip top of fashion. Colors of course are to be had according to preference.

Coats, somewhat like hats are left to the choice of the buyer instead of the choice of the manufacturer. Short nobby coats are popular and for winter the long blanket like affairs are taking well.

In the men's department what is latest in male wraps is being shown. The conservative cut is a favorite.

Dry goods, notions, everything is up to the minute. J. D. Berryman,

Resolutions of Respect.

"Odd fellowship!
Working in manhood's prime and ardent youth

In that sublimest, most ennobling strife,
To show for man, best friendship,
Love and Truth."

In memory of Brother Philip Engel who died September 22nd, 1912.

"So let him sleep that dreamless sleep
Our sorrows clustering 'round his head:

Be comforted, ye loved who weep
He lives with God—he is not dead."

Once again death has summoned a Brother Odd Fellow and the golden gateway to the Eternal City has opened to welcome him to his home. He has completed his work in the ministering to the wants of the afflicted, in shedding light into darkened souls and in bringing joy into the places of misery and as his reward the plaudit "well done," from the Supreme Master.

And Whereas, The all-wise and merciful Father has called our beloved and respected Brother home

And Whereas, He having been a true and faithful brother of our Mystic Order therefore be it

Resolved, That Charleroi Lodge No. 1030, I. O. O. F., Charleroi, Pa., in testimony of her loss, tenders to the family of the bereaved brother our sincere condolence in this deep affliction and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

John S. Crawford,
Frank Welsch,
H. M. Christie,
Committee.

Green be his memory in the Order's heart
He loved so well, through all his true life's span;

Bless'd be his rest, who acted well his part,
Who honor'd God in doing good to man.

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Will please the man of discriminating taste, who has a high regard for a sensible style of great value and comfort.

We have the Nettleton Chiropodist Model in shoes and Oxfords, made of Glazed Kid and Russia Calf.

Will you call while we have your size?

Claybaugh & Milliken

one of the heads of the firm has recently returned from a trip to New York and Boston, where he observed and profited. He is putting some new ideas into effect and Charleroi is getting the latest in fashion as a result.

The force of D. S. Bayne of Donora and A. R. Ney of Monessen came in a body at the expense of the proprietors of the two stores to attend the Berryman opening Thursday night. The visitors were more than pleased with the showing.

Classified Ads.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 330 Washington avenue. 55-1

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 710 McKean avenue. 48-11

FOR SALE—Four milk cows. Address 1016 Meadow avenue. 54-13p

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms 705 McKean avenue. 55-13p

FOR SALE—Trespass signs. Prepared according to law, and contain copy of trespass law. Call at Mail office. 318-17

Society and Personal

(The Mail is anxious to publish all items of local interest, such as accounts of parties, entertainments or the like in this column and invites its readers to hand in notes of such. Names of those present at various functions will be published to a limited number. Personals are especially desired. More important items will be given under special head.)

Mrs. Elmer LaTour visited friends in Monongahela Thursday.

Jacob Helmstadter of Monongahela, formerly manager of the store of J. W. Berryman and Son, was a visitor on business in Charleroi Thursday.

Mrs. J. Condon of Donora visited friends in Charleroi Thursday and attended Berryman's Millinery opening.

Miss Marie Moffitt left Thursday evening for Smock, where she will visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Charles Black left for Morgantown, W. Va., and will visit her brother, J. E. Hunter for several days.

Arthur Hunter went to Morgantown to spend a week with his friends, Charles and Gregg Benson.

E. A. Easton of Oil City left for his home today after a visit in Charleroi at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jacobs of Meadow avenue.

Miss Emily Arrison has resigned her position at Boges and Buhl's in Pittsburg and has gone to Fremont, Ohio, where she has accepted a position.

Miss Ethel Kendrick and John Metz were visitors in Pittsburg Thursday.

Miss Jessie Everhart has returned from a vacation visit at her home in Johnstown.

Perce D. Pollock has gone to Pittsburg to begin his fourth year's work as a student in the dental department of the University of Pittsburg.

Mrs. Arch Osborne has gone to Homestead to visit.

Manuel Laclercq of Pricedale and Miss Laura Kerner of Charleroi were granted a license to marry at Cumberland Md., Thursday.

In Pittsburg Thursday Francis Wendel and Miss Mary Wery, both of Charleroi were granted marriage license.

Mrs. Harry Cox and son Eugene of

Spokane, Washington are guests of Mrs. A. W. Day at the Hotel Arthur. Miss Elizabeth Obermier has been visiting her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leo. Schwaed for two weeks left for Homestead to visit Mrs. J. P. Bonlander a few days. From there she will leave for her home in Chicago.

Mrs. W.H. Coles has returned from Salisbury Beach, Mass., where she visited Mrs. J. K. Tener.

The books from the State library for the use of the Athene Club have arrived and are at the residence of Mrs. A. R. Mountsier where members of the club can get the ones they need

H. E. McIntyre of Uniontown, a former Charleroi resident, was in Charleroi Thursday, calling on friends.

About 65 couples from Charleroi and other nearby places attended the first fall dance of the Winter Club of Charleroi given in the Night Auditorium. The affair was much enjoyed and a big success. The committee of young men composing the club looked well after the entertainment of the visitors. Dances will be held weekly throughout the fall and winter in the Night Auditorium.

J. Frank Showalter of Tennessee, a graduate of the Byron King School of Oratory in Pittsburg gave an entertainment at the reading rooms of the Young Peoples Christian Temperance Union at the corner of Fifth street and Washington avenue Thursday evening. The affair was given under auspices of the young people who are members of the society and was an unqualified success. Mr. Showalter's readings consisted of both the humorous and pathetic. He is an excellent entertainer. A big crowd attended the affair. Miss Edith Crill delighted with vocal solos.

The Ladies of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold their annual Nea England Supper on Thursday, November 7.

Another African Theodore.

An African Theodore came to grief just forty-five years ago because he thought he was the whole show. The rest of mankind thought they were some show, too, and Theodore of Abyssinia learned too late that he had made a very serious mistake in not taking that very natural attitude into account. Nature has not given to any individual a monopoly of the abilities requisite in the rule of a people.

\$2,150 In Prizes FREE

6 PIANOS

168 PIECES OF SILVERWARE

Cut this Coupon out and present Sept. 27 It at

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6	963,050	44	718,075
7	964,550	45	1098,810
8	927,080	46	674,750
9	913,500	47	630,910
10	542,825	48	717,095
11	993,000	49	630,930
12	967,060	50	1004,095
13	970,920	51	661,940
14	1001,055	52	681,975
15	976,115	53	855,095
16	982,215	54	680,990
17	951,900	55	1037,975
18	1098,850	56	650,115
19	1106,515	57	1193,779
20	940,895	58	56,975
21	1098,310	59	1008,575
22	902,875	60	1100,130
23	911,910	61	518,505
24	960,815	62	269,500
25	926,865	63	78,755
26	991,150	64	79,610
27	920,895	65	18,010
28	1104,765	66	51,765
29	750,075	67	50,775
30	975,090	68	66,500
31	1105,390	69	50,000
32	988,750	70	48,000
33	739,105	71	36,000
34	713,090	72	35,000
35	750,745	73	10,110
36	782,550	74	20,150
37	232,245	75	37,000
38	600,650	76	20,145
		77	58,000

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1912

ONE CENT

PREPARE FOR FORMAL DEDICATION OF SCHOOL

Flag Presentation to
Feature Occasion at
North Charleroi

WILL ERECT NEW POLE

Citizens to Meet for Purpose—
Six Rooms of New Building
Now Being Used

A flag will be presented to the North Charleroi school district by the Charleroi Junior Order of American Mechanics and a formal dedication of the new school building at North Charleroi will take place a few weeks hence.

Tomorrow the citizens of North Charleroi will erect a flag pole 60 feet high. This pole will be of pine having been secured from a northern woods through the instrumentality of government men at North Charleroi.

The new school building is proving immensely satisfactory. Six rooms are being used at the present time for school purposes. The other two will be put into use as required. North Charleroi is having a rapid growth and the school population is increasing similarly. In addition to the eight rooms in the new building, there is a principal's room and two playrooms, the latter being in the basement. One is for the boys and the other is for the girls. As yet no special equipment has been purchased for these playrooms.

The new North Charleroi School building was erected at a cost of approximately \$25,000. A Fayette City firm constructed the building. A Duquesne man was the architect. In excavating for the edifice, some trouble was encountered through having to drill through a heavy bed of rocks. This added to the cost and delayed the completion of the building. It was over a year from the time work was started until the building was finished ready for use.

Prof. Leslie Hornbake is the principal at North Charleroi and teaches one of the rooms. The other teachers are Misses Josephine Metzler, Alice Latta, Nell C. Ryland, Mamie Rockwell and Ruth Rice.

CHARLEROI BRIGADE GUESTS AT COYLE

Manager R. S. Coyle of the Coyle Theatre entertained the Charleroi Brigade at his theatre last evening. The brigade was out in uniform under command of First Lieutenant Christy Roberts, and they marched into the Coyle Theatre and took the seats reserved for them in an orderly manner that showed the thoroughness of their drilling. After the performance Lieutenant Roberts, in behalf of the brigade, extended thanks to Mr. Coyle for the treat he had given the members.

Rummage Sale.

A rummage sale will be held by the Ladies of the Lutheran church on Saturday, September 28 from 2 to 10 p. m. and on Monday, September 30 from 7 to 10 p. m. in the store room of H. Lowstutter, Fallowfield avenue.

Blue Laws For Monon

Campaign to be Made in
"Wicked" Town Down
River

Monongahela will take another whack at the Blue Law enforcement on Sunday, when District and Ordinance Officer Meredith will begin a campaign of closing the stores. The arrangement will be to have the drug stores open a short time each Sunday to take care of the prescription business. No ice cream or confectionary stores are to be permitted to remain open or to dispose of their wares. The Blue Law movement has become almost as regular a visitor to Monongahela valley towns as the "woman in black" and the "crazy man" in the rural sections.

CHILDREN SUFFERERS

Seventy-Five Per Cent of
School Children Have
Bad Health

MANY HAVE BAD EYES

Years ago when children were compelled to trudge a mile or two to a little old barn of a school house four or five or six months out of the year, learning how to add, subtract, multiply and divide, to read and write and to talk halfway correct, germs weren't as familiar creatures as they are today and children had to be unable to walk before they were even sick. Today, there is scarcely a child in the 20,000,000 that attend school in the United States that would pass the kind of physical examination required in most of the schools. A bulletin issued by the United States bureau of education asserts that "not less than 75 per cent need attention for physical defects which are prejudicial to health," and gives the following statistics:

"From 1 to 2 per cent or 400,000 of these have organic heart disease.

"Probably 5 per cent, 1,000,000 at least have now or have had some tuberculosis disease of the lungs.

"About 5 per cent or 1,000,000 have spinal curvature, flat foot or some other modern deformity.

"Over 5 per cent or 1,000,000 have defective hearing.

"About 25 per cent or 5,000,000 are suffering from malnutrition in many cases due in part at least to one or more of the other defects enumerated.

"Over 30 per cent or 6,000,000 have enlarged tonsils, adenoids or enlarged cervical glands which needed attention.

"Over 50 per cent or 10,000,000 (in some schools as high as 98 per cent) have defective teeth which are interfering with health."

CHURCH FEDERATION STILL OF THE FUTURE

Delegates to County Meeting Fail to Effect Permanent Organization—Rev. Hugh B. McCauley Defines Idea

Delegates to a county church federation meeting Thursday in Washington failed to get around to the election of officers and to the work of forming a permanent organization. That was done was to appoint a committee consisting of Rev. C. L. McCauley, H. L. Wood, W. H. Butler, and H. J. Hoot, all of Washington to recommend officers for a permanent organization. There were but 35 United Brethren, Baptist, Methodist, Episcopal and Methodist Protestant denominations in the county.

Rev. Dr. G. C. Snappard of Washington presided. The morning devotional meeting was led by Rev. N. N. Cameron, D. D. of Washington. The enrollment followed and an address was made by Rev. Hugh B. McCauley of Trenton, N. J., the father of the church federation idea in this county.

JACK FROST MISSES TRAIN

Cold Wave Here But Anticipated White Fails to Arrive as Per Schedule

Apparently Jack Frost missed his train connections for this and other points east, and then much talked about and feared trouble that was to arise from his visitation was on the waiting list this morning. One ruralite reported that he had seen Frost, but others from the same neighborhood reported there was no frost. Last August there was a frost. That was the first summer frost. Now the people are waiting the arrival of the first fall frost. In spite of the fact that Jack Frost didn't get here with all his apparatus it was cold Thursday night and it was cold this morning. The mercury hovered down around 58 degrees, which for this time of the year is cold.

RECEIVES NOTICE OF STATE MEETING

G. H. Thomas, editor of the Monessen News, who was elected a Presidential elector-at-large on the Republican ticket at the State convention last June, has received a telegram asking him to come to Harrisburg next Monday at the reconvening of the State convention for the purpose of readjusting the electors, many of whom are for Roosevelt. Mr. Thomas who was elected a delegate at the spring primaries for Westmoreland county, has cast his lot with the Bull Moose party, and expects to resign as an elector-at-large on the Republican ticket.

SCOFIELD BIBLE INSTITUTE WILL CLOSE TONIGHT

This evening closes the Scofield Bible Institute that has been in progress during the week at Belle Vernon under direction of Rev. E. D. Bevier of Fayette City. The instruction department which is under direction of Dr. Sperry Chafer, has attracted wide attention, and has been attended by large congregations. The topic of tonight's services will be: "Deliverance from the presence of sin, or the believer's coming glory, the future tense of salvation." The service tonight will begin at 7 o'clock instead of 7:30.

Star Theatre Tomorrow.

"The Reckoning," a 101 Bison, a thrilling tale of the Civil War, and "North of 33," a stirring northern drama.

Next Tuesday—"Lucille," 3-reels, dramatized from Owen Meredith's famous poem.

At the afternoon meeting devotionals were given by Rev. J. C. Hamilton and Rev. Hugh B. McCauley spoke on the Church Federation movement and "What Washington County May Hope for From Federation" was the subject of the Rev. C. L. McKee.

At the evening services devotionals were given by Rev. H. L. Bowlsby, secretary of the Inter-Church Federation of Altoona. His subject was "What the Federation Has Done For Us."

ENTERTAINMENT DATES ANNOUNCED

First of Charleroi Course Attractions to be Given on November 5.

The first entertainment of the Charleroi Citizens Entertainment course, which will be given at the Methodist Episcopal church has been dated for Tuesday, November 5. At this time Francis Lee Lybarger, a lecturer of more than usual ability will appear. Dates have been supplied for all the entertainments by the Redpath-Brockway Bureau, which furnishes the attractions. Following is the entire list.

Tuesday, November 5—Francis Lee Lybarger, lecturer.

Tuesday, December 3—The Dixie Chorus, colored glee club.

Friday, December 20—Opie Reed, lecturer and humorist.

Wednesday, February 5—The Dumbbells, male quartet and bell ringers.

Tuesday, March 18—The Aida Quartet of Ladies and C. Pol Plancon, soloist.

Friday, April 11—Hon. George D. Alden, lecturer.

HARD SCHEDULE FOR HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

A list of games has been booked for the Charleroi High School football team, the opening struggle to be at home tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock with the Washington High School team. Following is the schedule arranged:

September 28—Washington High School at Charleroi.

October 4—Monongahela H. S. at Monongahela.

October 9—Duquesne University Freshmen at Duquesne.

October 18—Allegheny Prep at Exposition Park.

October 26—Waynesburg H. S. at Charleroi.

November 1—Monessen H. S. at Charleroi.

November 8—Ben Avon Prep at Ben Avon.

November 15—Monessen H. S. at Monessen.

November 28—Waynesburg H. S. at Waynesburg.

Prof. Knotts Returns.

Prof. Richard Knotts of Pittsburgh who is well known up the Monongahela valley has returned from a trip to Europe, where he spent some time studying under various European vocal instructors. He took special courses in voice work and vocal hygiene. He sang often in many of the larger cities and before returning home was made a flattering offer by one of the large Grand Opera companies.

CHILDREN'S DANCING CLASS

Prof. Oatman will open a dancing class for children on Saturday afternoon, September 28 at 2:30 o'clock in 56-14 Night's Auditorium.

PLAN NEW SHIPPING ROUTE TO THE SOUTH

Bus Driver Still on Go

Trias Elizabeth, Finds it Bum
Town, and Moves on to
Another Neighborhood

On last Thursday morning a man appeared in town with an auto-bus, which had been running between Charleroi and Ellsworth and said he was a passenger on the bus. Between Elizabeth and Glassport, says the Elizabeth Herald. One round trip was made and he then kept the vehicle standing on the street there, saying he was not ready to start. But would do so on the following Sunday morning. He left soon after Sunday morning came but no auto-bus and up to this writing it has not appeared on the scene. Just what the intentions of the individual are do not appear.

BIG CROPS REPORTED

Department of Agriculture Issues Statement Showing Results

ROADS BAD FEATURE

The figures that have been issued at Washington during the past week by officials of the Department of Agriculture to show the enormous size of the crops that the country has just harvested are very impressive certainly. On these bumper crops depend to a large extent the country's prosperity. But the crops would be much more effective in promoting the common welfare, and the national prosperity would be much greater if there were not so much expense in getting the products of the farms to market. Good roads throughout the country would be one of the finest investments the American people could make. It is to be regretted that the government does not spend on road construction one-third of the \$300,000,000 it spends every year on its military and naval establishment. J. E. Pennypacker, executive secretary of the American Road Congress estimates that if 20 per cent of the public highways of the country were improved not less than \$250,000,000 would be saved in the cost of hauling the crops of 1912. Mr. Pennypacker says:

"The government's prediction that the crop now being harvested will exceed any previous year's yield should serve to call attention to the great losses that are being sustained by farmers and consumers in the hauling of crops. It is estimated that the improvements of the main roads of the country, approximately 20 per cent, would result in an annual saving of at least \$250,000,000 in the cost of hauling alone, which

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Pittsburg Capitalists to
Build and Operate
River Line

INTEREST ALONG MONON

This Valley to Profit—Boats
to be Constructed of Steel—
Daily Traffic Planned

One of the largest enterprises that has been proposed in Pittsburg for years was the formation yesterday of a steamboat line to the South. A group of men representing large capital met in the office of Hubbard & Co., German National Bank Building, and effected an organization which is destined to solve the city's transportation problems. The effecting of the organization was the culmination of a year's earnest thought on the part of the projectors. It will represent an expenditure of over \$2,000,000.

The new company has taken over the Pittsburg and Cincinnati Packet Company's fleet. Three boats will be built at once and others will be added. Something besides caution will prompt the gradual growth of the fleet. There never has been any doubt in the minds of the projectors about there being traffic enough to keep the vessels busy. What they are considering is the fact that the character of water craft is likely to change as improvements are made in the waterways. The first boats to be built will be of steel, of light draught, with stern wheel. Very large sidewheel boats will be provided as soon as the locks and dams are completed.

The projectors are satisfied that they will not lack for trade, for the reason that the railroads cannot handle all the business. There is no doubt that there will be a large shortage of cars for several years to come.

While the new proposed organization does not yet include a packet line up the Monongahela river, in all probability this will come very soon after the organization of the Ohio and Mississippi river. The Monongahela river with 131 miles of slack-watered navigation affords a virgin field for river traffic, both of a local nature and for distant points down the other rivers. At the present time only the big corporations are realizing benefits from the costly and expensive improvements, and the local shippers have never yet taken advantage of the opportunities that await them in the way of reducing their cost of transportation. The possibilities suggested for the Monongahela valley by the new concern are limitless.

Two Grand Sunday Excursions.

This Sunday, September 29, St. Mary's Morning Star. Young's Band. Gents 50 cents, ladies 25 cents. Children free. Boat leaves Brownsville at 2 p. m., Coal Centre 2:45, Ross 3:15, Fayette City 3:45, Belle Vernon 4:15, Charleroi 4:30, Monessen 5:15, Webster 5:30. Evening trip boat leaves Webster 7 p. m., Monessen 7:20, Charleroi 8:00, Belle Vernon 8:15, Fayette City 8:30.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church announce a Bazaar to be given on Wednesday and Thursday, December 11 and 12.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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Under free trade the man who earns a week now would be forced to accept either \$15 or \$18. The difference of \$3 or \$5, which now goes for clothing, rent, an occasional cigar or a theater ticket, possibly a delicacy for the home table, will not be at his disposal. Think of the several lines of trade that will lose millions of dollars every week by such enforced economy!

Now Used as a Circus Ground.
(From the Atlanta Constitution.)
Some say that Armageddon is "on the other side of Jordan" and others that it is a boat landing on Salt River.

ASTITCH IN TIME

Charleroi People Should Not Neglect Their Kidneys.

No kidney ailment is unimportant. Don't overlook the slightest backache or urinary irregularity. Nature may be warning you of approaching dropsy, or fatal Bright's disease. Kidney disease is seldom fatal if treated in time, but neglect paves the way for serious kidney troubles. Don't neglect a lame or aching back another day. Don't ignore dizzy spells, irregular or discolored urine, headaches, weariness or depression. Begin treating the kidneys with the reliable, time-tried remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills. For 75 years, Doan's have been curing sick kidneys and curing permanently. Endorsed by Charleroi people.

Mrs. George Ewing, 918 Shady Ave., Charleroi, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills were used in our family some time ago with the best of results. We procured our supply at Piper Bros. Drug Store. It does not take this remedy long to dispose of any attack of kidney trouble. I advise anyone troubled by disordered kidneys to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

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UNDER TAFT'S ADMINISTRATION



The tariff has been revised. Within a year following passage of the Payne bill wages were increased more than \$500,000,000. Industry is operating at high pressure, general business is prosperous, and there is a scarcity of labor everywhere.

Two acts providing safety for railway employees and proper inspection of appliances have been passed.

The federal mining bureau for reducing the dangers to workmen has been established.

A children's bureau to minimize infant mortality and reduce child employment in factories has been organized.

Pensions for Union veterans of the war of the rebellion have been broadened and increased.

White slavery has been outlawed and checked.

Our trade with foreign nations has

been enormously increased, particularly in iron and steel manufactures. Congress has made the contract between railroads and their employees more favorable to the latter.

Shippers by rail and patrons of express, telegraph and telephone companies are assured just rates by reason of additional authority conferred upon the interstate commerce commission.

The eight hour law on government work has been extended to include contract supplies.

Practice in the federal courts has been simplified in the interest of all litigants, which will relieve particularly the poor suitor.

Postal savings banks have been established, to the great convenience of persons who formerly hoarded their surplus.

Provision has been made for the parcels post, which will begin operations Jan. 1.

These are among the achievements of three years of Taft. No other administration within the same brief limit has accomplished so many substantial benefits to the people. Why make a change, involving widespread upheaval of business, when every physical and material condition is favorable?—From Harrisburg (Pa.) Telegram.

HILLIS WRITES ON CONTRIBUTIONS TO N. Y. TIMES

The following from the New York Times of September 4, by Charles D. Hillis, National Chairman of the Republican National Committee concerning campaign contributions is most timely:

To the Editor of the New York Times: The all-important factors in a campaign contribution are the motive back of the gift and the understanding, if any on which it is accepted. I see no reason why individual contributions should be limited to \$10,000, nor any reason why the amount should not be determined by the donor.

I do not believe in a party treasurer receiving campaign funds surreptitiously—nor that he does. Nor do I believe that a candidate should attempt to hide behind the excuse that he did not know what his treasurer was doing, particularly if the candidate is an astute politician, who is deprived from public participation in the fight and in constant telephonic communication with the party's headquarters. I do not believe that George W. Perkins, who contributed \$50,000 to the 1901 fund should have been permitted to exert sufficient influence at the White House to bring the Department of Justice's prosecution of the harvester trust to a sudden standstill, or that the steel trust, having contributed heavily, should have been able to secure from the White House a promise of immunity from prosecution if it absorbed its chief competitor; nor that \$100,000 should have been accepted from the Standard Oil Company and the head of the trust left with the conviction that, had his trust contributed the additional \$150,000 asked it would have escaped prosecution during the last administration.

I have heard the excuse that the candidate did not let his right hand know what his left hand was doing but Governor Hughes had publicly exposed the \$50,000 contribution of the New York Life Insurance Company funds and Mr. Roosevelt has himself admitted that he knew of \$10,000 contributed by the steel trust and says he had Mr. Knox's assurance that if further contributions from the Standard Oil trust were rejected the steel trust would make them good, so I think I may be pardoned if I am a little skeptical regarding the "ignorance" of the other contributions, or even regarding any squeamishness on the part of the beneficiary.

But when it comes to placing an arbitrary limitation on the amount which a man with proper motives may contribute to the campaign of a candidate whose success he believes essential to the welfare of the nation I can perceive no good reason therefor, and no just method of enforcement. Fortunately we now have a law which prohibits campaign contributions from corporations absolutely.

The support of The Chicago Tribune, for instance, to the candidacy of the third term candidate has been worth not ten, but hundreds of thousands of dollars. It has been going on for many months. The same is true of The New York World's support of the Democratic candidate and of the support of the other Democratic papers. Does any one imagine that George W. Perkins put his money into The Evening Mail as an investment? Or was it to acquire the support of that paper for his candidacy for President? And yet no accounting of such contributions will have to be made at Albany or at Washington. Since Dan Hanna has acquired control of The Cleveland Leader and The Cleveland News, they have been fighting the President at every issue, a valuable contribution to his opponents. But no one imagines that Mr. Hanna was actuated solely by a desire to become an editor. And yet the contribution of a service of such value goes unreported and unrecorded.

Mr. Bryan, whose services on the lecture platform command \$500 a night, will devote many nights and much oratory to Governor Wilson's campaign, far more presumably than could be purchased for \$10,000. To a less extent this is true of many men who enjoy something of a vogue on the Chautauqua circuit.

What, then, if the President's brother, Charles F. Taft, shall contribute more than \$10,000 to this campaign? Mr. Taft was almost as much responsible for the President entering politics as was Mr. Roosevelt. Certainly his motives were not less pure. When why should he not be at liberty to contribute in accordance with his means to his brother's campaign? No one can claim that President Taft has ever been influenced improperly by any contribution to his former campaign, nor will he be by any contribution to this. Those who are supporting Mr. Taft this year especially, are doing so with the conviction that his defeat would mean disaster to the country. Who can properly or justly put a limitation on their patriotism in terms of dollars and cents?

Charles D. Hillis, Chairman Republican National Committee, New York, Sept. 3, 1912.

LIEUT. FURLONG AN INSTRUCTOR FOR ANNAPOLIS

The following from the Boston Globe, of recent date, will be read with interest by the many friends of W. Rea Furlong, a former Roscoe boy:

"Lieut. William Rea Furlong, USN, who for the past two years has been detailed by the Navy Department as inspector-instructor to the Massachusetts Naval Militia and in command of the USS Chicago, has received orders from the department detailing him to the special engineering course for two years at the United States Naval Academy. To succeed him the department has detailed Chief Boatswain Walter J. Workman, USN, recently in command of the Piscataqua."

"Since Lieut. Furlong's connection with the Naval Militia of this State he has achieved much for the general all-around increase in efficiency of the organization. His new department scheme of instruction which has already proved exceptionally beneficial, as has been exemplified both in seamanship and gunnery during the past two years. This has been especially noticeable the past summer during the annual practice cruise when his plan of ship's organization worked to perfection and in two days the whole organization was working as a unit."

"The departure of Lieut. Furlong is deeply regretted by every officer and man of the Naval Militia. The officers have given him a testimonial dinner and presented him with a memento of his stay with the Massachusetts command, while the men of the regular service have presented him a handsome sword and belt."

"His selection by the Navy Department for the special course in advanced engineering is an honor for it is a much-sought berth by those officers who have a liking for engineering duty. Lieut. Furlong will specialize in electricity, as he believes



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alize in electricity, as he believes, the Puritan Club during his stay, and this to be very important in connection with the gunnery work on ship-board, in which he is particularly interested.

"During Lieut. Furlong's stay in this city he took advantage of the many opportunities for study and

took a special course at Harvard in international law, besides studying German and doing much reading of naval history from the valuable collection at the Public Library in addition to his many duties in connection with the upkeep of the Chicago and as judge advocate of the summary court-martial board at the Navy Yard.

"He joined the Wordroom Club and

Beastly Weather.

Wickler—Beastly weather, isn't it? Sticker—Why will you use those idiotic expressions? How can the weather be beastly? Wickler—Well, it's raining cats and dogs.—Philadelphia Press.

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Somehow there exists a vast amount of scepticism as to the possibility of curing Consumption. We state none but facts, and are sincere in what we assert.

We were afflicted with Tuberculosis, we should do precisely what we ask others to do—take Eckman's Alternative promptly and faithfully. The reason we should do this and warrant we have for asking all Consumptives to take it, is that we have the reports of many recoveries, one of which follows:

1610 Susquehanna Ave., Phila., Pa. "Gentlemen: For two years I was afflicted with hemorrhages of the lungs, the number totaled nearly one hundred. Our family physician advised another climate, as to remain would probably be fatal. However, I remained, and in February of 1902, I was taken with a severe attack of pneumonia. When I recovered sufficiently to walk about the house I was left with a frightful hacking cough, which no medicine I had then could alleviate. It was at this time, March, 1902, that I learned of and started taking Eckman's Alternative. In a short time my cough was gone and I was pronounced well. Since that time I have had two slight attacks of pneumonia and I have resorted to no other medicine to effect a cure."

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Autumn Suits come in a diversity of weaves, some featuring the smoother Serges and others the Wider Wale and rough mixed suitings. There is a suit in cloth and color to meet the requirements of every wearer. None should leave our store without first having selected a Fall Suit or Coat.

There is no house in the valley that carries such an extensive stock, or such a large range of sizes. We can fit you so come in while the sizes are unbroken. This will be our last invitation to our Fall Opening. Be sure to come.

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Latest Styles in Hats and Wearing Apparel Exhibit- ed Berryman's Store

Show us the latest in millinery for women and the newest styles in wearing apparel for both men and women together with an especially attractive line of dry goods and notions the establishment of J. W. Berryman and Son are holding their annual fall opening Thursday was the first day of the opening. It is being continued today. The store beautifully decorated for the occasion, was visited by hundreds Thursday afternoon and evening.

As usual the millinery department attracted the greatest attention. This fall for the first time in years women are to be permitted by the dictates of dictators of fashion to choose for their headgear what looks well. One might say that anything is in style as long as it is a hat. Small hats with the peach basket effect and various trimmings or large picture hats with a wealth and profusion of dainty trimmings, or hats not so fastidiously decorated--all are in the tip top of fashion. Colors of course are to be had according to preference.

Coats, somewhat like hats are left to the choice of the buyer instead of the choice of the manufacturer. Short, nobby coats are popular and for winter the long blanket like affairs are taking well.

In the men's department what is latest in male wraps is being shown. The conservative cut is a favorite.

Dry goods, notions, everything is up to the minute. J. D. Berryman,

Resolutions of Respect.

"Odd fellowship! Working in manhood's prime and ardent youth

In that sublimest, most ennobling strife, To show for man, best friendship, Love and Truth."

In memory of Brother Philip Engel who died September 22nd, 1912

"So let him sleep that dreamless sleep Our sorrows clustering 'round his head"

Be comforted, ye loved who weep He lives with God--he is not dead."

Once again death has summoned a Brother Odd Fellow and the golden Gateway to the Eternal City has opened to welcome him to his home. He has completed his work in the ministering to the wants of the afflicted, in shedding light into darkened souls and in bringing joy into the places of misery and as his reward the plaudit "well done," from the Supreme Master.

And Whereas, The all-wise and merciful Father has called our beloved and unqualified success Mr. Shwaller's readings consisted of both the humorous and pathetic. He is an excellent entertainer. A big crowd attended the affair. Miss Edith Crill delighted with vocal solos.

The Ladies of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold their annual New England Supper on Thursday, November 7.

Another African Theodore. An African Theodore came to grief just forty-five years ago because he thought he was the whole show. The rest of mankind thought they were some show, too, and Theodore of Abyssinia learned too late that he had made a very serious mistake in not taking that very natural attitude into account Nature has not given to any individual a monopoly of the abilities requisite in the rule of a people.

Green be his memory in the Order's heart He loved so well, through all his true life's span; Bless'd be his rest, who acted well his part, Who honor'd God in doing good to man.

Society and Personal

(The Mail is anxious to publish all items of local interest, such as accounts of parties, entertainments or the like in this column and invites its readers to hand in notes of such Names of those present at various functions will be published to a limited number. Personals are especially desired. More important items will be given under special head.)

Mrs. Elmer LaTour visited friends in Monongahela Thursday.

Jacob Helms, master of Monongahela, formerly manager of the store of J. W. Berryman and Son, was a visitor on business in Charleroi Thursday.

Mrs. J. Condon of Donora visited friends in Charleroi Thursday and attended Berryman's Millinery opening.

Miss Marie Moffitt left Thursday evening for Smock, where she will visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Charles Black left for Morgantown, W. Va., and will visit her brother, J. E. Hunter for several days.

Arthur Hunter went to Morgantown to spend a week with his friends, Charles and Gregg Benson.

E. A. Easton of Oil City left for his home today after a visit in Charleroi at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jacobs of Meadow avenue.

Miss Emily Arrison has resigned her position at Boggs and Buhl's in Pittsburg and has gone to Fremont, Ohio, where she has accepted a position.

Miss Ethel Kendrick and John Metz were visitors in Pittsburg Thursday.

Miss Jessie Everhart has returned from a vacation visit at her home in Johnstown.

Perce D. Pollock has gone to Pittsburg to begin his fourth year's work at the University of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Arch Osborne has gone to Homestead to visit. Manuel Laclercq of Pricedale and Miss Laura Kerner of Charleroi were granted a license to marry at Cumberland Md., Thursday.

In Pittsburg Thursday Francis Wendel and Miss Mary Wery, both of Charleroi were granted a marriage license.

Mrs. Harry Cox and son Eugene of

Spokane, Washington are guests of Mrs. A. W. Day at the Hotel Arthur.

Miss Elizabeth Obermier has been visiting her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schwaed for two weeks left for Homestead to visit Mrs. J. P. Bohlander a few days. From there she will leave for her home in Chicago.

Mrs. W. H. Coles has returned from Salisbury Beach, Mass., where she visited Mrs. J. K. Tener.

The books from the State library for the use of the Athene Club have arrived and are at the residence of Mrs. A. R. Mountsier where members of the club can get the ones they need.

H. E. McIntyre of Uniontown, a former Charleroi resident, was in Charleroi Thursday, calling on friends.

About 65 couples from Charleroi and other nearby places attended the first fall dance of the Winter Club of Charleroi given in the Night Auditorium. The affair was much enjoyed and a big success. The committee of young men composing the club looked well after the entertainment of the visitors. Dances will be held weekly throughout the fall and winter in the Night Auditorium.

J. Frank Showalter of Tennessee, a graduate of the Byron King School of Oratory in Pittsburg gave an entertainment at the reading rooms of the Young Peoples Christian Temperance Union at the corner of Fifth street and Washington avenue Thursday evening. The affair was given under auspices of the young people who are members of the society and was an unqualified success. Mr. Showalter's readings consisted of both the humorous and pathetic. He is an excellent entertainer. A big crowd attended the affair. Miss Edith Crill delighted with vocal solos.

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For the Week Ending Sept. 25, 1912

No.	Amt.	No.	Amt.
1	1107,385	39	1111,940
2	1016,065	40	1101,040
3	1010,050	41	709,750
4	989,625	42	964,765
5	990,890	43	613,250
6	963,050	44	718,075
7	964,550	45	1098,810
8	927,050	46	674,750
9	913,500	47	630,910
10	542,825	48	717,095
11	993,000	49	630,980
12	967,060	50	1004,095
13	970,920	51	661,940
14	1001,055	52	681,975
15	976,145	53	855,095
16	982,215	54	680,990
17	934,000	55	1077,975
18	1098,850	56	650,415
19	1106,515	57	1103,770
20	940,895	58	56,975
21	1098,310	59	1008,575
22	902,875	60	1100,130
23	911,240	61	549,500
24	960,845	62	269,500
25	926,865	63	78,755
26	991,150	64	79,610
27	920,895	65	48,010
28	1103,765	66	51,765
29	750,075	67	50,775
30	975,090	68	66,500
31	1105,390	69	50,000
32	700,100	70	36,000
33	739,405	71	35,000
34	713,090	72	10,110
35	750,745	73	20,150
36	782,550	74	37,000
37	232,245	75	20,145
38	600,650	76	58,000
39		77	

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Claybaugh & Milliken

one of the heads of the firm has recently returned from a trip to New York and Boston, where he observed and profited. He is putting some new ideas into effect and Charleroi is getting the latest in fashion as a result.

The force of D. S. Bayne of Donora and A. R. Ney of Monessen came in a body at the expense of the proprietors of the two stores to attend the Berryman opening Thursday night. The visitors were more than pleased with the showing.

A vote for the Democratic ticket this fall is a vote for free trade and all that free trade stands for. A vote for the bull moose ticket is a vote for something which no one, not even its promoters, can give any light upon. A vote for the Republican ticket is a vote for protection to honest American toil, and protection is a synonym for prosperity. --Newport (N. H.) Champion

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FOR RENT--Furnished rooms 705 McKean avenue. 56-13p

FOR SALE--Trespass signs. Prepared according to law, and contain copy of trespass law. Call at Mail office. 518-1